

## O. K. PLAN FOR REUNION HERE IN 1915 OF G. A. R.

Governors of Retail Merchants' Association Also Approve Fake Auction Law.

The board of governors of the Retail Merchants' Association last night endorsed the plan to ask the District Commissioners to extend to the G. A. R. an invitation to hold its reunion in this city in 1915, the fiftieth anniversary of the grand review of 1865.

A special committee consisting of Joseph Berberich, A. D. Prince and George S. De Neale, which has co-operated with similar bodies appointed from the Chamber of Commerce and the Board of Trade, presented its report recommending the request, which was adopted. This joint committee believes the \$10,000 raised by the citizens of Washington will be sufficient for the entertainment of the veterans.

The Chamber of Commerce committee consists of R. W. Guy, D. J. Callahan and Ralph W. Lee. That of the Board of Trade comprises John Joy Edson, J. Harry Cunningham and William H. Singleton.

**Approve Fake Auction Law.**

The board of governors also endorsed the promulgation of the new regulation in the matter of "fake" auctions, with a vote of thanks for the work of A. D. Prince, chairman of the committee, and M. D. Rosenberg, general counsel of the organization.

The special committee on furnishing for the new quarters in The Star building, consisting of E. C. Graham and Claude E. Miller, made its report, which was unanimously adopted, the meeting engaging for a time in informal and pleasant discussion of the outfit for the new home.

M. D. Rosenberg, general counsel, reported on the hearing before the interstate commerce commission in the matter of the store door delivery controversy, with the railroads. George E. Hubbard, chairman of the merchant railers' section, submitted the report of that body, and the report of the audit committee, Jacob Eisen and Joseph L. Shipley, was received and adopted. Ten firms were reported by the membership committee for election in the association.

The shoe section of the organization will have a "practical" session Tuesday evening to which shoe men and the public are generally invited. S. F. Hahn has arranged with W. H. Palmer and W. H. Stone, representatives of the United States Rubber Company, to give practical demonstrations of the making of rubbers.

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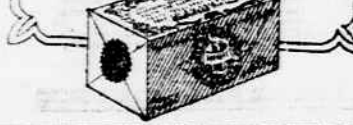
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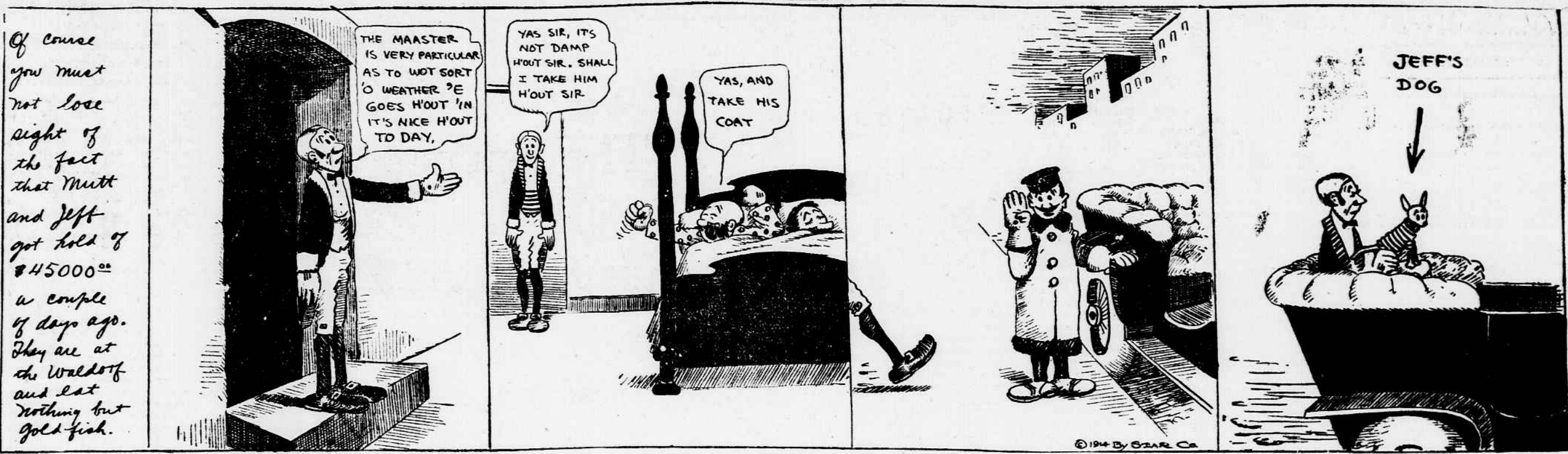
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By "Bud" Fisher



## DISCUSSION OF IDEALS BY FORMER PRESIDENT

William Howard Taft Before Large Audience at Friends' School in Baltimore.

Touches Upon Modern Politics and Other Themes in Address on American Statesmanship.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 28.—William Howard Taft, former President of the United States, spoke last night before a large audience at the Friends' School on "Ideals of American Statesmanship."

Mr. Taft digressed somewhat from his prepared speech. He said, for instance, that "Jefferson would turn in his grave if he knew about the passage of the new banking bill, that he might walk again if he knew the effort that was being made to have a direct vote for President."

Every time he digressed he chuckled. It happened so often that the audience knew finally, when he would depart from his printed address. He gave warning several times that he would have something to say about the demagogue.

Mr. Taft's Address.

Mr. Taft said, in part:

"The man entitled to be called a statesman who, having authority, deals practically with problems of government so as to make the government best serve its legitimate function of encouraging and permitting the freest and most effective pursuit of happiness by the community governed and by its members. American ideals in statesmanship vary from European ideals only as our governmental notions and our ideas of social and individual happiness differ from those of other countries."

"A statesman has to deal with a concrete situation, in which the application of great political principles have to be modified to meet its peculiar exigencies. In exercising the authority conferred by a popular electorate in a republic or a democratic monarchy, the necessity for retaining power in order to accomplish any good requires a constant series of compromises and a balancing of concessions of erroneous views of the people that it needs education, time and experience to eradicate against the taking of short steps forward along the wise path."

"And here we strike the difference between the statesman and the politician. It lies in the final aim of his public life. If his struggles are merely to hold office or to gratify his taste for the game of politics, even though he be honest and clean in his methods, he is sure to bend the course of his policies to every popular wind, with a view to retaining power. He may have a wish to pursue a wise and statesmanlike course, but the anxiety to win neutralizes that wish and the success in the game that controls him. Such a man, though honorable and able, is a politician, not a statesman."

**Reformers and Agitators.**

"In the progress of the world, in the abolishment of abuses, in the reform of injustice there is a class of most useful men who begin an agitation for a reform of an evil and initiate a crusade against it in a community in which exists an inertia in the great majority and an unwillingness to take pains to make things better. This indifference is often founded in a community in the first stages of proposed reform to such an extent that the leaders of such a movement need the steam and power of great enthusiasm to swim against the current, to stem the tide

## HUGE STONE BLOCKS TO BECOME SPHINXES

Sculptured Figures Will Guard the Entrance to Scottish Rite Temple.

One of the two mammoth blocks of Indiana limestone which are to be sculptured into sphinxes to guard the entrance of the House of the Temple of the Supreme Council, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, at the Avenue of the Presidents and S street northwest, has reached the site of the building, and, with its companion piece, in the rough is expected to be placed in position within a fortnight. A. A. Wadsworth, a New York sculptor, will come to this city to do the carving, which, under the contract calling for the completion of the temple by July 1, 1915, should be finished previous to that date. The two stones weigh 100,000 pounds each, or about fifty-four and a half tons each, and about the size of the largest blocks ever quarried. They came from Bedford, Ind.

**Discusses the Types.**

There are several types of the sphinx, Grand Commander Richardson of the Scottish Rite says—a good kind and a bad kind. "Our sphinxes are going to be the good kind, probably like the great sphinx of Giza, that guarded the entrance to the Nile valley and represented the sun god Harmachis, not like the mythological sphinx of Thebes, to whom the muses taught the famous riddle, solved by Oedipus, and who used to devour those unable to guess it. The riddle was 'What is that which is four-footed, three-footed and two-footed?' Oedipus guessed it was man, who crawls on hands and feet as a child, walks upright as an adult and supports himself with a stick in old age. As the story goes, after his guess, the sphinx threw herself down from the mountain and died."

**Total Cost of the Temple.**

The two sphinxes which will guard the entrance to the Scottish Rite Temple will cost something more than \$18,000. The total cost of the temple, including the interior decorations in marble, metal and art frescoes, but exclusive of the furnishings, will be \$1,750,000. John Russell Pope of New York city is the architect and the Norcross Brothers the builders. Robert Cheyne, their superintendent of construction, who has supervised the work from the beginning, will not end his labors until the structure is completed.

**FINALLY LANDS IN PRISON.**

Edward Hayes of This City Convicted on Old Charge.

VIENNA, Va., March 27, 1914. Edward Hayes of Washington was convicted of horse stealing Wednesday by a jury in the Fairfax circuit court and sentenced to a term of four years in the state prison at Richmond. Hayes' offense was committed over two years ago, but he was only recently apprehended. In July, 1911, he appeared with a woman at the livery stable of W. H. Maffett, at Vienna, and engaged a horse and buggy. On his failure to return the animal, Mr. Maffett and the county authorities began a search which extended over Fairfax and Alexandria counties for several weeks, during which Hayes managed to elude his pursuers and finally disappeared. About two weeks ago he was arrested by two Washington detectives. Hayes was defended by Attorney

**MRS. ELLEN F. FISH DIES.**

Funeral Set for Monday. With Interment at Arlington.

Mrs. Ellen F. Fish, widow of Maj. Roswell A. Fish, died yesterday at her residence, 1016 Massachusetts avenue northwest. Mrs. Fish was born in Baltimore, and was a daughter of Capt. Richard Bennett, U. S. A. She leaves a brother and a sister. Her husband, who was one of the first to go to California in '49, was an officer in the Union army in the civil war. After the war he held important positions in the Treasury Department and was an assessor for the District.

The funeral services are to be held at the residence Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The interment is to be at Arlington.

## JUSTICE GOULD SPEAKER AT CLABAUGH MEMORIAL

Selected by Associates on the Bench to Voice Sorrow at Death of Jurist.

Justice Ashley M. Gould has been selected by his associates on the bench of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia to voice their sorrow at the loss to the court occasioned by the death of Judge Harry M. Clabaugh, the chief justice of the court. A joint memorial meeting of the bench and bar will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Criminal Court No. 2, which has been the scene of many such gatherings.

The selection of Justice Gould to speak on this occasion is regarded as most fitting because of his close personal relations with the dead jurist. He will eulogize the late chief justice as lawyer, judge and friend.

George E. Hamilton, predecessor and successor of Chief Justice Clabaugh as dean of the law department of Georgetown University, has been designated by the Bar Association as chairman of the resolution committee. Mr. Hamilton will present the resolutions and make the principal speech on behalf of the bar. He will review the career of the late chief justice from the standpoint of the practitioner before the court.

**Mr. Wilson to Preside.**

Clarence R. Wilson, United States attorney, and president of the Bar Association, will preside at the memorial meeting. He will make a few introductory remarks.

George R. Gaither of Baltimore, an officer general of Maryland, an officer once held by Chief Justice Clabaugh, and a personal friend of the deceased, will

## For Chinese Visitors to Expo.

Regulations just issued by the immigration bureau to govern the admission and return of Chinese participating in the Panama-Pacific exposition, provide that careful record shall be kept of all such Chinese, that they shall leave the country within thirty days after the close of the exposition, and that once each week an immigration inspector shall ascertain by personal observation they are still employed at the exposition.

**Drinking in Public Costs \$25.**

Edward G. Curtin, Charles C. Curtin and Edward M. Hines were each fined \$25, with a term of seventy-five days in Occoquan as the alternative in default of payment on a charge of drinking beer in public. It was testified that the three men drank the beer from a jar in a public alley.

After undergoing improvements costing more than \$1,000, the Otterbein United Brethren Church, at Myersville, Md., was reopened Sunday.

**FRIENDS FURNISH HIS BOND.**

**Refusal to Accept W. H. Cooper's Certified Check Causes Some Delay.**

Wade H. Cooper, president of the United States Savings Bank and Union Savings Bank, indicted for alleged criminal libel of Justice Wright of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, was released on \$5,000 bail about one hour after his arrest yesterday afternoon. The delay was caused by a discussion growing out of the matter of bail. Mr. Cooper expressed a willingness to give a certified check for the amount, but Assistant United States Attorney Huidekoper preferred a regular bail bond.

Mr. Cooper had taken the precaution to bring to the court two friends, who were willing to furnish the required bond, the amount of which had been fixed by Justice Barnard at \$5,000. William T. Davis and William D. Barry, directors of the United States Savings Bank, signed the bail bond and qualified as surety for the appearance of Mr. Cooper in court when desired.

Mr. Cooper stated that he had not decided on his counsel to represent him when he is called for arraignment on the indictment.

**S. H. Hoover's Funeral Monday.**

Funeral services for Samuel H. Hoover, ex-attorney at law, who died at his residence, 1118 9th street northwest, Friday night, are to be held at the family home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment is to be at Glenwood.

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